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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Please amend the specification and claims as follows. The incorporated/added text and claims below are taken verbatim from related U.S. Application Serial No. 09/082,341 (attorney docket no. Z0090/7016) which was incorporated by reference in its entirety in the parent to this continuation application and filed simultaneously therewith on May 20, 1998 (copy attached hereto).

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

On page 1, line 8, after the word "application" insert -- is a continuation of co-pending parent U.S. Application Serial No. 09/082,201 filed May 20, 1998 entitled Fluid Management Systems and --

On page 1, line 8, after the word "of", delete "pending"

On page 1, line 11, after "(" insert -- U.S. Application Serial No. 09/081,733, filed May 20, 1998, --

On page 1, line 12, after "(" insert -- U.S. Application Serial No. 09/082,200, filed May 20, 1998, now abandoned, --

On page 1, line 13, after "(" insert -- U.S. Application Serial No. 09/082,086, filed May 20, 1998, --

On page 1, line 14, after "(" insert -- U.S. Application Serial No. 09/082,341, filed May 20, 1998, now abandoned, --

On page 3, between lines 11 and 12, insert the following: